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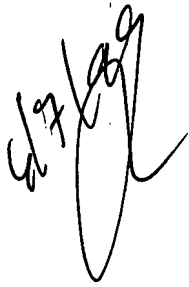
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The Commissioner of Patents  
and Trade Marks,  
Washington, D.C., 20231  
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Dear Sir:

 This is in response to the official action dated  
April 5, 1999.

Please amend the disclosure as follows:

Page 4, line 18, delete "Figure 1" and insert  
--The single figure--.

R E M A R K S

Under section 1 of the office action, the drawings  
are objected to because the abbreviation "FIG." should not  
appear where only a single view is used in an application.  
Enclosed is a proposed drawing amendment in which the  
designation "FIG. 1" has been deleted. The amendment is